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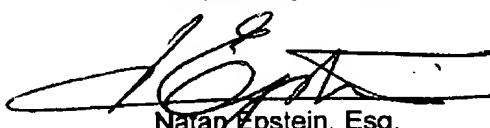
Sir:

This is in response to the decision dismissing the June 7, 2004 Petition.

Submitted herewith is a Corrected Listing of the Amended Claims for the previously filed Supplemental Amendment After Final Action. The Claims have been corrected in response to the Advisory Action dated July 23, 2004 issued by the Examiner in response to the original Petition. The Advisory Action notes that claim 44 improperly depends upon canceled claims 42 and 43. In the accompanying Corrected Listing of the Claims the dependency of claim 44 has been amended to obviate this issue. Claim 44 now depends only upon Claims 55 and 41. Review and reconsideration of the Renewed Petition and the previously filed Supplemental Amendment After Final Action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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